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Has a Plan for Taxing
the Trusts.

TARIFF BILL AMENDMENTS.

Washington, March 27.—Congressman Wheeler has drawn up an amendment to the Dingley bill which he will introduce in a few days. Mr. Wheeler says that the decision given by Chief Justice Fuller in response to the petition for a rehearing in the income tax case shows that the Supreme Court did not intend by that decision to decide that the Government had no right to levy a tax called or known as an occupation or privilege tax, but instead, the constitutionality of such a tax is specially decided by the Supreme Court in Fifth Wallace. Mr. Wheeler said, in discussing his intended amendment:

The object is to place a tax on such occupations and avocations as are pursued by the wealthy class and tries to reach only that class of persons known as trusts. The basis starts at \$50,000, with a privilege

tax of \$20, and rises in amount as the sum invested increases. It especially aims at the sugar trust, Standard Oil trust, steel rail trust, plate glass trust, and kindred infamies. If the Republicans propose to be fair they will accept the amendment. It is constitutional and taxes that class most able to bear it. If they reject it the country will know that the charge made that the Dingley Bill was drawn in the interest of trusts is true."

Mr. Wheeler has consulted a great many members of the House and several Senators, all of whom say that the amendment is perfectly constitutional and should be adopted.

PRINCETON
PRERSBYTERY.
Programme of the Spring Session at
Sugar Grove Church.

Princeton Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, will meet with Sugar Grove church Tuesday, April 6.

Elders and Deacon's Association Tuesday, 10 a. m.

Opening sermon by Rev. G. L. Woodruff, 7:30 p. m.

Sermon, "Christian Assurance," by Rev. J. N. McDonald, Wednesday, 2:00 p. m.

PROGRAMME.

The human mind and its capacity for development, by J. F. Price.

"Does the development of the mind increase the happiness of man?" by Rev. J. N. McDonald.

"Is God glorified and the cause of

Christ's Kingdom adorned by man's happiness," by Rev. A. C. Buttell, Sturgis, Ky.

"Application: The Sunday school an agent in the development of the mind," by Rev. J. P. Haisell.

Sermon, "Saving Faith," by Rev. J. F. Price, Thursday, 11 a. m.

All persons coming on the train will please to come on the Tuesday and Wednesday morning trains if possible and you will be met at Repton with conveyance. If you are compelled to come at any other time, please to notify me three days before, and I will have conveyance for you. J. F. Price, State Clerk.

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SHAKING HANDS WITH 6,000 PEOPLE.

The "God Bless You" of Honest Hearted People a Benediction.

In an article describing "The Social Life of the President," in the April Home Journal, ex-President Harrison tells of the fatigues of hand shaking, and also of the benefits of being brought in contact with the good, honest hearted people of the country.

"In the first two weeks of an Administration," he says, "the President shakes hands with from forty to sixty thousand persons. The physical drain of this is very great, and if the President is not an instructed hand shaker a lame arm and a swollen hand soon result. This may be largely or entirely avoided by using President Hayes' method—take the hand extended to you and grip it before your hand is gripped. It is the passive hand that gets hurt. It has been suggested that a nod or bow should be substituted for the hand shake, but it would be quite as admissible to suggest a revision of the Declaration of Independence. The interest which multitudes attach to a handshake with the President is so great that the people will endure the greatest discomfort and not a little peril to life or to limb to attain it. These are not the office seekers, but the good, honest hearted, patriotic people, whose "God bless you" is a prayer and a benediction. They come to Washington for the inauguration, and later with excursions, but they are mostly to be found near their own homes. They come out to meet the President when he takes a journey, and his contact with them and their unselfish and even affectionate interest in him revive his purpose and elevate his courage. Mr. Lincoln is said to have called these popular receptions his "public opinion baths."

All the different kinds of skin troubles, from chapped hands to eczema, and indolent ulcers, can be readily cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great piles cure. At Hyatt's.

Reply to G. T. Justice.

To Whom It May Concern.

We the undersigned, members of the United Baptist Church in Christ, at Deer Creek, Crittenden county, Ky., take pleasure in testifying to the manner in which Rev. H. B. Fox, acted during his pastoral care of the Deer Creek church for near two years.

and will say his walk was that of a gentleman and also that of a Christian, and at no time was there any such talk that Bro. Fox was acting in a manner unbecoming to a gentleman and especially one who claims to be a shepherd to guard his flock; and we further claim that no net of his ministerial duties while serving us as our pastor would in any way have a tendency to weaken the ministry.

The only talk there was about or concerning Bro. Fox, was from some non-fellowship members, caused from the earnest manner in which he, Bro.

Fox, contended for the faith once delivered to the saints, and from the manner in which he fought the modern Holiness theory or sinless perfectionism, and if there was ever any more talk than this we have no knowledge of it.

E. A. Stalion,
E. W. Nation,
W. F. Belmore,
Deacons.

John W. Bobot, Church Clerk.

Mrs. E. A. Stalion, S. C. Smith

and wife, W. W. Grubbe, John N.

Wooten, D. G. Bettis, W. G. Belout

and wife, P. E. Bettis, J. M. Franklin and wife, Mrs. Mary Belmore, E. N. Todd, A. M. Paris, Mrs. Lizzie Bead.

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MONETARY REVISION.

Something Besides Confidence Needed to

Restore Prosperity.

Washington, March 26.—The ex-

ecutive committee appointed by the

monetary conference held in Indiana-

polis some weeks ago held an inter-

view with Secretary Gage today, at

the Treasury department. They dis-

cussed the question of a probability

of Congress at once making an ap-

pointment for a revision of our mon-

etary system.

President McKinley has definitely

decided to send a special commissioner

to Cuba. The President has in view

a close personal friend and a man of

considerable legal ability in whose

judgment the President has the great-

est confidence. The object of the spe-

cial commissioner to Cuba will be to

take part in the intended investiga-

tion of the alleged murder of Dr.

Ruiz, an American citizen. Consul

General Lee has absolutely refused

to join in this investigation because he

is convinced the Spanish government

will not conduct a fair inquiry, and

that the decision of the commission

will be a "washout" for all officials

connected with Ruiz's death.

Mr. Gage expressed himself as fully

convinced of the necessity for such a

commission, and he thought that no

good could result from delaying its

appointment.

He said business throughout the

country was greatly depressed, and it

was his opinion that there should be

no delay in taking measures for the

general relief. There was, however,

he said, in some quarters a source of

doubt of the expediency of allowing

legislation of any character what-

ever to interfere with the considera-

tion and prompt passage of the tariff

measure.

It is understood that the House is

ready at any time to carry out the

President's views as to the monetary

commission and a revision of our mon-

etary system. In the Senate, howev-

er, it is said there is likely to be op-

position to any speedy action.

The committee expect to remain in

Washington a week or so in confer-

ence with members of congress on the

subject.

Oldest Woman in the County.

Mrs. Tyrie, known as "Grandma"

Tyrie, will be, if she lives until July

12, a centenarian. She bids fair to

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ner.

Attorney—L. B. Henry, 619.
Sheriff—Gideon Hubbard, 147.
County Clerk—J. F. Putter, 37.
Representative—V. Perkins, 139.
County Judge—L. B. Hall, 181.
elected.
Assessor—Geo. Trusty, 29.
Superintendent Schools—George Vaughn, 46.
Circuit Court Clerk—W. K. Price, 436.
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ner.
The Rev. W. H. Weaver, pastor of the U. B. church, Dillsburg, Pa., recognizes the value of Chamberlain's cough remedy and does not hesitate to tell others about it. "I have used Chamberlain's cough remedy," he says "and find it an excellent medicine for coughs, colds and hoarseness." And so does every one who tries it a trial. Sold by J. H. Orme.

Persons injured by a mob may bring action against the county and obtain judgement in any sum from \$1,000 to \$25,000 and in case of death, may recover in a sum of not less than \$5,000. There is no doubt that either this or a similar bill will pass the present legislature.
Five Hundred Converted.
Madisonville, Ky., March 29.—The Cumberland Presbyterian revival, which has been in progress here for three weeks past, closed last night. About 500 were converted.

FINE TOBACCO.
Mr. J. C. Casner delivered his crop of tobacco to Woods & Blue at this place last week. He had 5,000 lbs. and got \$6 per hundred—the best price paid in the county this year, so far as we have heard.
WILL NOT RUN.
I desire to thank the many friends who have so kindly solicited me to make the race for Sheriff. The confidence thus expressed and friendly feelings shown shall ever be remembered. I have decided not to become a candidate as there are two other excellent gentlemen offering for the nomination. Again thanking my friends, I am,
Yours truly,
JOEL A. FARMER.
Will Bagwell, a young man from Livingston county, cut one of his limbs with an ax several months ago. The wound became worse and worse, and a few weeks ago he was brought here and placed in the Brooks infirmary, to have the leg amputated. There was an unexpected change for the better, however, and now he has so far improved that the limb will be saved.—Paducah Sun.
Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey cures coughs and colds. It soothes the air passages. It heals the bronchial tubes and strengthens weak lungs; it builds up the body. It has itself liable to conviction and forfeiture of office. It receives its proper supply of oxygen.

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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Nineteen coal companies in Jackson County, Ohio, have been transferred to a London syndicate. The price paid for them was \$4,000,000.

The investments of foreign corporations in this country are increasing, and with this stupendous increase come dangers to our free institutions.

Foreign capital had much to do with the result of our late election, and as these interests continue to grow their power for evil is strengthened and widened.

The men who control this capital are after the almighty dollar. Living in a foreign country they have no interest in ours, save and except that which centers in the multiplication of the dollars they invest here, hence no matter how wholesome legislation may be for our body politic, it should conflict with their one design—that of making money—they are ready to throttle us. As they own vast interests in railroads, breweries and mines, it is easily seen that the power they wield in shaping our destinies is by no means small.

That they use this power the late election bears testimony. It is well enough to have capital sufficient to develop and maintain our industries, but when men who owe their allegiance to foreign powers assume control of our big industries the star of our hope begins to decline. Even from a money standpoint, the advantage of foreign capital is small, because all the profits of the investments are transferred to another country. Ireland has been made to weep because the increase of the land has been annually transferred to England where the owners of the estates live and spend the profits. In the same way, in the course of human events, America may become a vassal of the old country. If the profits of our mines go there, if the profits of our factories bite themselves across the seas, if the earnings of our railroads find their way into haughty English pockets, foreign capital is a siphon that empties the “milie and honey” of our country into England’slarders.

W. H. BIGHAM.

Over eighty thousand applications for postoffices have been filed at the Postoffice Department since the change of Administration.

The sons of Confederate veterans at New York propose to form a mounted battalion to march in the Grand memorial parade.

At Georgetown, Tex. Jack Steele, prominent business man, shot and killed W. W. Dimmitt, another business man, during a trial in the county court room.

Senator Quay has introduced a bill authorizing the President to employ men who may be thrown out of work “together with so-called tramps” in the construction of public works.

At a meeting of distillers and wholesale liquor dealers at Cincinnati last week, it was decided unanimously to raise the price of spirits in a few days.

Sunday one thousand men were at work protecting and building higher the levees of the river at Greenville, Miss.

FROM FRANKFORT

No Senator Elected Yet, and the Pow-
wow Goes Bravely On.

SOME BILLS INTRODUCED.

Frankfort, Ky., March 31.—The politicians are still at sea as to what the result will be in the Senatorial race. Day after day the members of the Senate file into the House of Representatives and the two houses vote for United States Senator. The result so far has been practically the same; Hunter's faithful ones stick to him; the obdurate six vote for some one else; the free silver Democrats vote for Blackburn and the gold Democrats for Davie. Thus we have it, and thus we will continue unless the unexpected happens. It was thought yesterday's joint session would develop something, but it was the same old story.

This fight for Senator overshadows everything else, and needed legislation goes begging.

A number of bills have been introduced, and some of them will likely pass, if the Legislature can spare the time. Among the bills introduced today were these.

Exempting all persons over sixty-five from paying poll tax;

Providing that all persons convicted of the crime of burglary shall, in addition to the penalty now imposed be tattooed with the letter “B” on each cheek; raising the amount on which appeal to the Court of Appeals may be taken from \$100 to \$300; reducing sheriff's fees for advertising land for taxes from \$2 to 75 cents.

Such bad blood exists among the Republicans for and against Hunter, that a general fight, which would probably have been fatal, almost took place. In the dispute were Senator Linney, Adj't Gen. Collier, and one or two others, against Senators Debo and Jones and Representative Burnham. They stood near the respondent's desks. Mr. Linney approached and said something to representatives Napier, who is against Hunter. Napier was cornered by Attorney General Taylor, Senator Debo and other Hunter men. Mr. Debo told Mr. Linney to let Napier alone. Linney was spunked and said he would not do it. He stood his ground and all the others joined in a heated dispute, together with Mr. Lieberth, who backed up one of the Hunter men. Another Hunter man had a long knife up his sleeve, with the hilt in his hand. Several persons stepped between and prevented further trouble.

The Republic State Central Committee called at the Governor's office to urge the Governor to use his influence to get the six bolting Republicans to vote for Hunter. Bradley knew the object of their visit and sent the committee word that he was too busy to have a conference.

Senator W. J. Debo, according to authentic report, has filed an application at Washington for the internal revenue collectorship at Owensboro.

E. T. Franks is also an applicant for the place, and as Franks was for McKinley against Bradley, it was supposed that he had the “call” for the job.

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DESTRUCTIVE WATERS.

The Mississippi Spreading Over Miles
of Country.

And Bearing Distruction Upon Its
Turbid Waters.

Baton Rouge, La., March 30.—The break ten miles below Green-

ville, Miss., is the most disastrous yet to occur. Thousands of feet of the levees, weakened and softened by the tremendous onslaught of the high waters, are melting away as if they were sugar. The break last night was two thousand feet wide, and the water is rushing into Mississippl with frightful velocity. The inhabitants are fleeing for their lives leaving all behind. Cattle, horses, and fowls are drowning. Houses are being washed away like chaff.

The break was anticipated several days ago, but the inhabitants had taken little heed. Now they have lost most everything they possessed, and are glad to escape with their lives. It is estimated that fully two thousand are already homeless and at the mercy of charity.

FIFTEEN MILES INLAND

The waters have already reached fifteen miles inland and are still ad-

vancing.

The destruction of scores and hun-

dred of farm houses is inevitable.

The scene at the break is indescrib-

able. Like the break at Rescue, and those at Modoc, the waters are rush-

ing in with an awful roar. Fragments of houses and huge rafts of driftwood are sucked into the break and sent far inland. Many houses which once stood upon the Arkansas shore will eventually be found located several miles from the shore on the Mississippl side.

The awful calamity so much dread-

ed at hand. The entire Mississippl side is sure to be inundated. The delta country will be filled with water, and the extent of the damage will never be definitely known.

Excitement runs high among the inhabitants living below the break, and they are bending every energy to get out of the way of the torrent with their belongings. Woe and des-

olation are to reign in the fertile Mis-

sissippi plantations along the river.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 30.—A

fourth disastrous break in the levee

occurred at 8 o'clock tonight at the

Stokes Plantation, near Gunnison.

There are now four serious breaks on the Mississippi side, and the flood

pouring through them will inundate

a large portion of the great Delta,

the most valuable of the planting lands

of this State. Telegrams from

Greenville received today state that

the break at Wyeville, which occurred

at 12:20 o'clock yesterday morn-

ing, is widening rapidly and growing

deeper fast. The break at Gunnison

or what is known as the Petherside

break, a short distance above Aus-

tralia, which occurred at 5 o'clock

yesterday morning, is a very serious

and damaging one.

Cairo, Ills., March 31.—Further

news of the awful work of the flood

on the Mississippi was brought here

by a young man from a relief boat.

He says on the Kentucky side of the

river, near Island No. 8, a cabin that

had been washed away was stopped

and held by three trees, and in it the

dead bodies of a man, woman, and

three children were found. A little

further up the river the body of a

man was found.

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demic in Cuba, and the plague con-

tinues its ravages in India.

CROOKED CREEK.

The sick of this vicinity are impr-

ving.

Wheat is looking very well.

Rev Carter preached here Sunday.

His subject was well handled and

highly appreciated.

W. F. Jennings was in this vicini-

ty recently.

Chas McLean and Bailus Paris

often visit close friends of Mounds

The church at this place has set

next 4th Saturday in April to call a

pastor to the care of the church, and

the 4th Sunday set apart for taking

of the Lord's supper. All members

of said church are requested to be

present on Saturday, as there is im-

portant business to transact.

Joe Gass, of Pleasant Hill, was in

these parts Sunday.

Golden M.

LOLA.

Mr. Harris Crawford, of Milford,

was in town Saturday.

We have a new blacksmith, Mr.

O'Hara, formerly of Salem.

McGeorge Hall and his mother of

Carville were guests of Mr. Fred

Johnson's family last Friday and Sat-

urday.

Miss Nellie Kennedy of Eli has re-

turned home after a two week's visit

to her aunt's, Mrs. Gossage.

A singing at Mr. J. V. Tolley's on

Friday night, given in honor of Miss

Nellie Kennedy. All seemed to en-

joy themselves.

Mr. J. N. Tolley went to Union

Sunday; there surely is some great

attraction up there for him to ven-

ture out in all the mud.

M. S. Morris, who went to Gol-

conde to attend school, we wish him

much success with his studies.

Mr. W. T. Paris and wife were called

to Crittenden last week to attend the

funeral services of their little niece,

who was accidentally drowned.

Rev W. H. Stevens has gone to Gol-

conde to attend school, we wish him

much success with his studies.

Misses W. T. Foster and Jessie Go-

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LOCAL BREVIETIES.

The county jail is empty.

Presbytery at Sugar Grove next week.

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Mr. W. H. Duke, of Princeton, was in town Tuesday.

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Billie James, the expert sawyer, was in town Tuesday for repairs for his saw mill, a part of which was broken.

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Mr. Freely Yandell came home from Eddyville Saturday for a few days rest. He has been quite ill for three weeks and unable to work, and will remain at home until he recovers.

The meeting at the Cumberland Presbyterian church is increasing in interest all the time. Quite a number have professed faith in Christ, and God's spirit is wonderfully blessing His people.

At this season of the year colds generally effect the lungs worse than at any other time. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey will break a cold in less time than any known remedy, and it strengthens and invigorates the lungs and bronchial tubes.

For Sale.

An improved farm, part under cultivation, balance in valuable timber; one mile from O. V. railroad, cheap for cash. This is a bargain for lumber men. Apply to Mrs. M. M. Hodge, Marion, Ky.

Remember the primary next Saturday.

The Graded School is doing fine work now.

Mr. B. M. G. Heath, of Weston, was in town Saturday.

The Epworth League was reorganized at the Methodist church Sunday.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Important Cases Continued.

Thirteen Indictments:

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Phineas Miles, charged with malicious cutting occupied two days in trial.

The jury returned a verdict of acquittal.

The cases against the young men charged with "white capping" were continued by the Commonwealth. The defendants were present and ready for trial.

The court appointed A. Wilborn as a commissioner to rent out the lands of the estate of the late Garland Carter, suitable for cultivation.

The mansions, stable and garden are not to be rented but reserved for the widow.

The case of McGraw vs. the Town of Marion for damages was, upon motion of the defendant, continued until the next term. Judge Pratt told the attorneys that the case must be tried at the next term.

Monday Mrs. Amanda Pulley appealed to the county for assistance. She was declared a pauper and sent to the county almshouse.

Mr. H. F. Ray wrote to friends that he is improving, and hopes to be at home in a few weeks. He is at Franklin, Ky., under treatment for rheumatism.

"Uncle" John Deboe would like to be jailer, and will submit his claims to the Republican committee. He is a clever old gentleman, needs the office and would make a good jailer.

WANTED.—A home for a seven year old girl. She is a bright, industrious, promising child and wants a permanent home.

Elizabeth Nations, Tolu, Ky.

Sunday afternoon as M. Schwab and his little son Morris started out for a drive, the horse ran away, throwing the occupants out of the buggy to the ground and making kindling wood of the vehicle. Mr. Schwab sustained a severe injury of the foot.

Thirteen indictments were returned.

The politics, age and church affiliation of the jurors are as follows:

J. N. Clark, age 37, a Democrat, belongs to no church.

J. A. Davidson, age 59, a Republican and a Baptist.

T. J. Black, age 42, a Democrat and a Cumberland Presbyterian.

W. W. Millican, age 30, a Democrat and a Baptist.

S. S. Wadell, age 47, a Democrat and a Methodist.

G. B. Crawford, age 49, a Democrat, belongs to no church.

Sam Frazier, 56 years old, a Republican and a Methodist.

T. H. Roberts, age 48, a Populist, belongs to no church.

L. F. White, age 59, a Populist and belongs to no church.

T. D. Stone, age 63, a Republican and Methodist.

J. H. Yandell, age 51, a Republican and Presbyterian.

J. T. Matthews, age 47, Republican belongs to no church.

Deeds Recorded.

S. N. Walker to Lamb and Brantley, 50 acres for \$246.

J. W. Gross to C. E. Weldon, lots in Tolu for \$372.

James M. Wilson to G. T. Drury, 100 acres for \$500.

T. S. Neal to L. S. Bird, 35 acres for \$400.

J. A. Zachary to L. S. Bird, 12 acres for \$195.

Jane E. Hamby to S. N. Walker 50 acres for \$400.

Jennie Simpson to C. E. Weldon, lots for \$450.

Mattie Harden to W. B. and G. T. Snellinger, 12 acres for \$200.

T. L. Nunn's heirs to E. L. Nunn, land for \$450.

Borrowed Books.

Some one has borrowed my "How It's Pedagogy" and "Welch's Psychology." Will you please return them at once, as I am needing them.

James F. Price.

Guthrie, Okla., March 30.—At 6 o'clock this evening a terrific tornado, followed by hail and flood, swept through the town or Chandler, forty miles east here, completely devastating the town. Three fourths of the residences and business houses of the town were totally wrecked or badly damaged; scores of people were injured, and many were killed.

In the Lyon county Democratic primary Saturday 975 votes were polled—six more than were cast for Bryan. The nominees are: W. L. Crumback, county judge; T. H. Mooley, circuit clerk; J. M. Smith, county clerk; Sam Holloman, attorney; J. W. Kevil, jailer; John L. Smith has one majority over Bougher for sheriff.

The jury was discharged yesterday.

TEACHERS MEETING.

W. B. Rankin for Representative at Salem Tuesday.

Pursuant to call of the Peoples party committee of Crittenden and Livingston counties jointly, a delegation from each county met at Salem.

W. C. Rambo was elected chairman and A. H. Cardin as secretary.

The time and places for the future meetings were discussed and a decision of three would be the limit for the year. The first to be at Shady Grove the 8th of May; the second at Piney Creek Thursday, Aug. 26; and third at Dycusburg, the 3d Saturday in October.

At the afternoon meeting a larger delegation was present, and more life was instilled.

Miss Lina Clement was elected as programme committee for the meeting. Rev. Archey, Fred Casner and Oscar Towery were elected as committee to see to general business.

Miss Helen Boyd, C. B. Hines and E. S. Moore were appointed county business committee to work up an interest for the May meeting.

Walter Blackburn was made president.

A motion was made and carried that each teacher of the county holding a certificate to pay 25 cents for a general fund, with Miss Mine Wheeler as collector and treasurer.

The district association at Smithland the first Friday and Saturday in June was not forgotten, and a request that teachers and those preparing to teach go without a word. Also the State association at Bowling Green, June 29-30 and July 1 was brought to mind, and all urged to go.

After which we adjourned to meet at Shady Grove 21 Saturday in May.

E. S. Moore, Secy.

Louisville, March 30.—Cattle—The market was steady at unchanged prices under very light receipts and a moderate local demand. Trade was fair, as is usually the case when there is nine feet of snow on the ground.

Calves—The light run met with a quiet market at unchanged prices. By the close all offered were sold. The arrivals were of mixed grades.

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THE HORROR GROWS.

First Reports of the Massacre
of Armenians at Tokat.

Are shown to have been enormous. First by the Admission that One Hundred Had Fallen, and later that the Number Would Reach Seven Hundred.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 20.—Further and probably more accurate details of the recent massacre of Armenians at Tokat, in the Sivas district of Anatolia, have been received at the Armenian patriarchate here. The first report of the affair was issued by the government. This declared that fifteen Armenians and three Mussulmans had been killed. Little reliance was placed in the report, for the officials have always had it a rule to understate the number of persons killed in the various massacres.

Later information was received at the embassies showing that fully two thousand Armenians had fallen victim to the fury of the Medes at Tokat, and this number was thought probably correct.

The report received to-day at the patriarchate shows that both statements were incorrect, and that the number of victims was fully 700.

It was stated at the patriarchate, to-day, that accurate information obtained from reliable persons at Tokat and the vicinity, and that the number of victims stated is without doubt correct.

Sir Philip Currie, the British ambassador, made a most vigorous protest against the massacre in a note to the porte, a note which was said to have been the strongest ever delivered by an ambassador to the Turkish government.

The result of his action was shown to-day when the sultan ordered the disband and immediate arrest of the Turkish officials in Tokat who are suspected of complicity in the massacre, and the appointment of a special commission to inquire.

It is believed that the British ambassador will watch the trial closely to see that it does not prove a farce as so many details of Western officials charged with the murders of Christians have been.

Mr. Ormanian, the Armenian patriarch, has made a protest to the sultan against the murders in Tokat, and has added force to his protest by hustling the sultan's chief of his rescript which was rendered some time ago. At that time the sultan refused to accept and proposed the patriarch that further discussions should be made with the Armenians. His majesty asked, however, that the granting of these concessions be deferred until after Easter. The massacre at Tokat followed.

Eight Armenians were arrested here yesterday as a measure of precaution, the government fearing that the news of the Tokat massacre might precipitate an outbreak. The prisoners are suspected of having been engaged in an attempt to make a demonstration.

CUBAN SUCCESSES.

Cuban Attacked and Pillaged Spanish Officers Made Prisoners.

NEW YORK, March 25.—A special dispatch to the Sun from Havana says:

The town of Calabazar, very near Havana, was attacked Tuesday by the insurgents under Aranguren. They burned many houses, pillaged several stores and then retired. Maj. Abilcer and nine other Spanish officers have been captured by the insurgents. They are being held at Calabazar.

PICKED UP AT SEA.

Sixteen More of the Steamer St. Nazaire's People Rescued.

GREENUCH, March 29.—The report that the steamer Yaracura, a British tramp vessel from Newport News for Glasgow, had picked up some of the survivors of the sunken French steamer St. Nazaire turned out to have been correct. The Yaracura arrived here yesterday and it is reported that fifteen of those who had been on the ill-fated steamer and had taken to a small boat just before the St. Nazaire went down.

BEATEN BY BRITONS.

American Lacrosse Team Beaten on the Lone Grounds.

LONDON, March 28.—The Lacrosse team of the Cross at Athletic club, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were beaten on the London ground yesterday by a combined representative English team.

The score was first open and round, the English having had all the goals of the first half of the game, but the Americans forced the playing in the last half, great excitement prevalent among the spectators throughout the game.

WARDEN HARLEY'S WAY.

Drilling Idle Convicts as a Remedy for Enforced Idleness.

LA PORTE, Ind., March 25.—Warden Harley of the prison north has adopted a novel method of providing occupation for the several hundred idle convicts under his charge by organizing military companies within the walls. The regiment will be supplied with wooden guns and drilled with convicts who served in the last war who are familiar with military tactics.

Warden Harley has taken this novel method of solving the time of the convicts, in view of the law which established prison labor, the prison officials fearing that the enforced idleness would drive many of the convicts insane.

AFFAIRS IN CRETE.

International Forces Occupy Malia, the Scene of Thursday's Battle.

LONDON, March 27.—The government announces that the international forces in the island of Crete have occupied town of Malia, which was the scene of fighting between the Turkish garrison and the Cretan insurgents, Thursday and subsequently taken by the latter. The garrison had found the place untenable. The force of 1,000 men stated as that the admirals commanding the joint fleet of the powers in Cretan waters regarded the occupation of the town by either Turks or Greeks as menacing to the European occupying forces.

TO FIGHT FOR GREECE.

Young Hellene Leave New York to Enter Under King George's Banner.

NEW YORK, March 27.—One hundred and fifty sturdy young Greeks, after bidding an affectionate farewell to friends and countrymen at 11 o'clock last night, marched aboard the French liner *LaChampagne*, and at five o'clock this morning started for Greece, where they will offer their services to King George. With perhaps a dozen exceptions, all have served in the Greek army, a good many having been officers.

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